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1. Quarters:

Barracks on Alsenstrasse

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Strength:

720 police (authorized strength: 800)
One Sonderkommando and three Kommandos

Organization:

iolizeirat Matschiner, CO of Bereitschaft

Officers: *

lolizeirat Franz Glagau, FK-Leiter

Polizeiret herzer, Einsatzleiter (operations officer)

Polizeirat Melzer, Ausbildungsleiter (instruction and training officer)

Armament:

Ten 80-mm mortars

Ten machine guns, model 08/15

Five muchine guns, model 34

Four hundred carbines, model 98 K

Unidentified number of submachine guns and

pistols, model 08

Motor vehicles:

Two trucks

Four passenger car

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2. a. Shipments of recruits arrived for the Frenzleu VI units in early ters at the former airfield have been reconditioned, the airfield itself serving at training field for VI personnel. Night exercises have recently ranked first in the training program.

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b. On orders of polizeirat Glagau, induction officer, the Frenzlau labor office called all 18 to 20-year old men to the Frenzlau Schuetzenhaus (riflemen's association clubhouse) in an effort to recruit volunteers for service with the VP. Lost of the assembled were, however, opposed to police service.

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Comment:

According to new directives at the Brandenburg (N 53/ 2 23) labor office, the minimum age for eligibility for service with the VI was reduced to 16 years.

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Comment:

* Undoubtedly the same officers who were mentioned in

previous reports
The names were presumably misspelled due to mistakes in hearing.

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